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RULES and ORDERS

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RULES

FOR THE

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OF THE

SALOP Infirmary.

1. THAT the Government of this Society be placed in the Hands of certain Truſtees; and that the Society act, and be diſtinguiſhed by the Name of, *The Truſtees of the* Salop *Infirmary*. Style of the Society.

2. That all Benefactors of Twenty Guineas, or upwards, at one Time, be Truſtees during Life. Truſtees.

3. That all Subſcribers of Two Guineas, or upwards, be Truſtees during Payment.

4. That the Subſcribers of One Guinea be Truſtees, by Rotation, in order as they ſtand in the Alphabetical Liſt; Twelve to be appointed at each Quarterly Board, for

the enſuing Quarter ; Six reſiding within the Town of *Shrewsbury*, and Six elſewhere.

5. That if any Society, or Body Corporate, ſhall ſubſcribe Two Guineas, or give a Benefaction of Twenty ; the Head Officer, for the Time being, of ſuch Society, or Body Corporate, ſhall be a Truſtee.

General Board.

6. That a General Board of Truſtees be held at four ſtated Times in the Year ; that is to ſay, on the Firſt *Tueſday* in *February*, the Firſt *Tueſday* in *May*, the Firſt *Tueſday* in *Auguſt*, and the Firſt *Tueſday* in *November* ; and oftener upon ſpecial Occaſions.

7. That the Power of making and repealing Laws, of electing and removing Officers, be veſted only in the General Board.

Weekly Board.

8. That there be a Weekly Board of Truſtees, which ſhall conſiſt of Five at leaſt, to meet every *Saturday*, at Eleven of the Clock, at the Infirmary.

9. That the Weekly Board regulate all Matters relating to the Admiſſion and Diſcharge of Patients, enquire into the Behaviour of Officers and Servants, examine and paſs Accounts, order Payments, prepare Matters for the General Board, and tranſact ſuch other Affairs as ſhall be committed to them by the General Board.

Special Board.

10. That the Weekly Board, Twelve Members being preſent, have Power to ſummon a General Board upon any ſpecial Occaſion ;

caſion; giving Twenty Days Notice by Letter to all the Truſtees reſident within the County, and ſpecifying therein the Buſineſs to be tranſacted; and alſo affixing ſuch Notice at the ſame time in Writing, upon the Gate of the Infirmary, and in the Board Room.

11. That every Board chuſe their own Chairman, who ſhall have a caſting Voice.

12. That at every General Board the Proceedings of the laſt General Board, and at every Weekly Board the Proceedings of the laſt Weekly Board, ſhall be read over; and that no Order of either Board ſhall continue longer in Force, unleſs confirmed by ſuch ſubſequent Board.

13. That the Proceedings of every Board be fairly regiſtred.

14. That at the General Board in *May* a Treaſurer be annually choſen out of the Truſtees, who ſhall enter upon his Office at *Midſummer* following; and ſhall give Bond in the Sum of One Thouſand Pounds, to ſuch Perſons as the General Board ſhall appoint, for the due accounting for all ſuch Money as he ſhall receive for the Uſe of the Infirmary. Treaſurer.

15. That at the General Board in *May* Two Under-Treaſurers be appointed out of the Contributors reſiding in *Shrewsbury*, who ſhall enter upon their Office at *Midſummer* following; and give Bond in the Sum of Five Hundred Pounds each, to ſuch Perſons Under-Treaſurers.

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as the Board ſhall appoint, for the due accounting for ſuch Money as they ſhall receive for the Uſe of the Infirmary.

16. That the Treaſurer and Under-Treaſurers pay all ſuch Bills as ſhall be ordered by the General or Weekly Board; ſuch Order being firſt ſigned by the Chairman, and counter-ſigned by the Secretary.

17. That on the Death of a Treaſurer, the Under-Treaſurers may act in their own Names 'till a new Treaſurer be choſen.

Auditors. 18. That at the General Board in *May*, Two Contributors be annually choſen, to inſpect and audit the Accounts of the Infirmary; and to report the State of the Accounts from Time to Time to the General Board; and that they enter upon their Office at *Midſummer* following.

Phyſicians and Surgeons. 19. That ſuch Phyſicians and Surgeons, as ſhall be agreed upon at a General Board, be appointed to attend the Infirmary; and that, whenever a Vacancy ſhall happen after the firſt Appointment, the Number of each ſhall not exceed two.

20. That the Phyſicians and Surgeons of the Infirmary have the Privilege of Truſtees at all General Boards.

Officers and Servants. 21. That a Matron, Apothecary and Secretary be appointed as Officers; and that a Porter, Nurſes, *&c.* be appointed as Servants to attend the Infirmary.

22. That

22. That when any Vacancy ſhall happen in the Office of Phyſician or Surgeon, after the Number is reduced to two, or of Matron, Apothecary, or Secretary, the Weekly Board ſhall ſummon a General Board to fill up the Vacancy, unleſs the ſtated General Board ſhall happen in Courſe at a convenient Diſtance, and then Twenty Days Notice ſhall be given of ſuch Election.

23. That the Weekly Board (Twelve Members being preſent) have Power to ſuſpend the Matron, Apothecary and Secretary, for Misbehaviour, and to appoint another during the Suſpenſion; that they have Power to remove the Nurſes and Servants, and to chuſe other in their Room.

Viſiting-Clergyman.

24. That the Clergy of *Shrewsbury* be deſired, by weekly Rotation, to viſit the Sick, to read Prayers twice in a Week, to adminiſter the Communion at proper Times, and to bury the Dead.

Houſe Viſitors.

25. That two or more of the Contributors be appointed at every Weekly Board to viſit the Houſe together, or by Turns, once every Day for the enſuing Week; each of which, in Caſe of Sickneſs, or neceſſary Avocation, may appoint another Contributor to be his Deputy.

Viſiting Apothecary.

26. That ſuch Apothecaries of the Town, as are Subſcribers, be deſired, by Monthly Rotation, to viſit the Diſpenſary whenever they

they pleaſe in an Afternoon; and to ſee that the Houſe Apothecary does his Duty; That they be at Liberty every *Monday* to take an Account of the Drugs and Medicines expended in the Houſe; and that they enter their Obſervations in a Book to be provided for that Purpoſe.

Anniverſary Meeting.

27. That an annual Meeting of all the Contributors be held on the *Thurſday* preceding the firſt Full Moon in *September*, or on the Day of the Full Moon, if it ſhall happen on *Thurſday*; and that a Sermon be then preached before the Society.

28. That the Treaſurer preſide at the annual Meeting, and appoint a Preacher.

Yearly Account.

29. That a Report of the State of the Infirmary, and of the Number of Patients received and diſcharged within the Year; with an Abſtract of the Proceedings of the Truſtees, and of the Accounts of the Infirmary, be drawn up at the End of every Year (*viz.*) at *Midſummer*, by the Auditors of the preceding Year, and publiſhed before the annual Meeting for the Satisfaction of the Contributors.

Elections.

30. That all Elections be by Ballot; and all Queſtions decided by a Majority of Votes preſent, which ſhall be taken by Ballot, if required.

31. That in all Elections, where there are more than Two Candidates, if a Majority

rity of the whole Number preſent does not appear for any one Candidate upon the firſt Scrutiny, the Chairman ſhall proceed to a ſecond Election, leaving out the Candidate, who has the feweſt Votes; and ſo on 'till ſuch a Majority is found.

Subſcriptions.

32. That all Subſcriptions for the current Year be paid as ſoon as may be after the Year commences; That all Subſcriptions enter'd before *Michaelmas*, 1746, be deemed to commence at the preceding *Midſummer*, and all ſubſequent Subſcriptions to commence from the Quarter Day preceding the time of ſubſcribing, unleſs the Subſcriber deſire otherwiſe.

Monitory Letter.

33. That to all Perſons, whoſe Subſcriptions ſhall be three Months in Arrear, a Monitory Letter ſhall be ſent by the Secretary, to prevent further Delay of Payment.

Officers to ſerve *gratis*.

34. That no Treaſurer, Auditor, Phyſician, or Surgeon, ſhall receive any Reward, Salary, or Gratuity, from the Infirmary for his Service.

Servants, &c. to receive no Gratuities.

35. That no Patients, or Perſons related to the Infirmary, do at any time preſume, on Pain of Expulſion, to give or take of any Tradeſman, Patient, Servant, Stranger, or other Perſon, any Fee, Reward, or Gratuity of any kind, directly or indirectly for any Service done, or to be done, on Account of the Infirmary.

36 That all Perſons concerned as Se
vants in the Houſe be free from the Bu
then of Children, and the Care of a F
mily.

Table of Rules. 37. That a Table of the Rules and O
ders, which relate to the Conduct of P
tients and Servants, be hung up in ea
Ward, and publickly read over every *Su*
day Morning by one to be appointed by t
Matron.

Specific Benefactions. 38. That a Table of Specific Benefa
tions, or of Goods and Work given to t
Infirmary, be immediately hung up in t
Board Room.

Inventory to be kept. 39. That an Inventory be kept by t
Secretary, and a Copy thereof by the M
tron, of all the Houſhold Goods and Fu
niture of the Infirmary. And that on
every Year, at ſome convenient time bef
the ſtated Board in *Auguſt*, the Auditors
cauſe a freſh Inventory to be made, a
compare it with that of the preceding Ye
as well as with the Account of what has b
purchaſed ſince. And that as often as a
Thing ſhall be miſſing, the Matron i
mediately declare it to the Viſitors of
Week.

Method of dealing with Tradeſmen. 40. That the Method of dealing w
Tradeſmen (unleſs when the Circumſtan
of the Caſe require otherwiſe) be to p b
an Account of the Proviſions and Go
wanted, and a Notice for ſuch Tradeſm
as are Willing to furniſh the ſame, to b

Propoſal ſealed up to the Secretary at a Day fixed.

41. That the Phyſicians and Surgeons of the Houſe, and Apothecaries who are Subſcribers, be a Committee for buying Drugs; and that any three (one of them being an Apothecary) have Power to act. Committee to buy Drugs.

42. That the Appointment of the particular Diet of the Patients be referred to their reſpective Phyſicians or Surgeons, and that no other Proviſions or Liquors be brought into the Houſe to the Patients on any Pretence whatſoever. Liquors, &c. prohibited.

43. That any Perſon may uſe the hot or cold Bath, or Bagnio, when they are not wanted for the Patients, paying each time for the cold Bath, Six-pence; for the hot Bath, Two Shillings and Six-pence; and for the Bagnio, Two Shillings and Six-pence; which Sum the Apothecary ſhall receive and account for to the Treaſurer. Hot and cold Bath.

44. That one or more Poors Boxes be ſet up in ſome convenient Places, to each of which there ſhall be two Locks; the Key of one to be kept by the Treaſurer, and of the other as the Weekly Board ſhall appoint, and the Money therein collected applied to the Uſe of the Infirmary. Poor's Box.

Admiſſion *and* Diſcharge *of* Patients.

Time of Admiſſion. 45. That Patients be admitted and diſcharged every *Saturday* by the weekly Board, between the Hours of Eleven and Twelve.

Rules of Admiſſion. 46. That no Patients be admitted who are able to ſubſiſt themſelves, and pay for Medicines.

47. That no Perſon be admitted a Patient, but by Recommendation of a Subſcriber or Benefactor, unleſs in Caſes which admit of no Delay; in which Caſes the Apothecary and Matron may receive Patients, giving immediate Notice to the Phyſician or Surgeon of the Week.

48. That for every Guinea ſubſcribed, and every Ten Guineas given in Benefaction, the Subſcriber, or Benefactor, ſhall have a Right of recommending one In-Patient in the Year; but that no Contributor ſhall have more than one Patient in the Houſe at one time; that Out-Patients be admitted by the Recommendation of ſuch Subſcriber, or Benefactor without any Limitation of Number.

49. That Benefactors of leſs than Ten Guineas have the Privilege for the Year enſuing their Benefaction of recommending one In-Patient (beſides Out-Patients) for every Two Guineas given in Benefaction.

50. That

50. That the Head Officer of any Society, or Body Corporate, ſubſcribing or giving a Benefaction to the Infirmary, have the ſame Power of recommending Patients, with a Subſcriber or Benefactor of equal Value.

51. That no Subſcriber's Recommendation be accepted, while his Subſcription is in Arrear.

52. That a Letter, ſigned by the Chairman of the Weekly Board, be ſent to every Perſon recommending a Patient, acquainting him, that the Perſon recommended is admitted, poſtponed, or rejected; and that the like Notice be given to the Perſon who recommended, when a Patient is diſcharged.

Patients at a Diſtance to ſend in their Caſes.

53. That Perſons, who recommend Patients from diſtant Places, may ſend their Caſes drawn up by ſome Phyſician, Surgeon, or Apothecary, (Poſt paid): To which an Anſwer ſhall be returned, whether, and when they ſhall be admitted.—But that the Board be ſtill at Liberty to reject ſuch Patients, if their Caſes ſhall appear to have been miſrepreſented.

Preference of Patients.

54. That when there ſhall be Want of Room in the Infirmary for the Admiſſion of all duly recommended, and qualified to be In-Patients; in Caſes of equal Exigency the Preference ſhall be given—Firſt, To ſuch who

who live at the greateſt Diſtance; Secondly, To thoſe recommended by ſuch Subſcribers and Benefactors as have not recommended any In-Patients within the Year; And Thirdly, To thoſe recommended by the largeſt Contributors.

55. That Patients duly recommended and qualified, who cannot be admitted for Want of Room, be entered into the Books as In-Patients, and received into the Houſe upon the firſt Vacancies, and in the mean time treated as Out-Patients; and that Patients ſent from diſtant Places be in ſuch Caſe ſupplied with the Proviſions of the Infirmary, and attended by the Apothecary, provided that Lodgings are taken for them near the Infirmary.

Caſes of Extremity.

56. That one Bed in each Ward be reſerved as a Proviſion for Accidents that require immediate Relief.

Caution Money.

57. That no In-Patient be admitted (Caſes of Extremity excepted) till Twelve Shillings be depoſited with the Matron to defray the Expence of Burial in Caſe of Death, which ſhall be returned, if the Patient is diſcharg'd; the Expence of Removal, if any, being firſt deducted.

Excepted Caſes.

58. That no Woman big with Child, no Child under ſeven Years of Age (except in extraordinary Caſes, ſuch as Fractures, Stone, or where Couching, Trepanning or Ampu-

Amputation are neceſſary) no Perſons diſordered in their Senſes, ſuſpected to have the Small Pox, or other infectious Diſtemper, having habitual Ulcers, Cancers not admitting of Operation, Conſumptions or Dropſies in their laſt Stages, Perſons in a dying Condition, or judged incurable, be admitted as In-Patients, or if inadvertently admitted, be ſuffered to continue.

59. That no Soldier be admitted an In-Patient, untill his Officer has engaged to pay his Subſiſtence Money to the Treaſurer, or one of the Under-Treaſurers of the Infirmary, during ſuch Time as he ſhall continue there: except Soldiers on Furloe, when there is no Officer at Hand to engage for them. Soldiers to pay their Subſiſtence.

60. That all Perſons admitted into the Houſe, and in two Months receiving no Benefit, be diſcharged, unleſs the Phyſicians and Surgeons certify to the Weekly Board, that there is a Probability of their being cured, or receiving conſiderable Relief. Patients receiving no Benefit to be diſcharged.

61. That when Patients are cured, they be enjoined to return publick Thanks in their reſpective Places of divine Worſhip. Patients to return Thanks.

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PHYSICIANS *and* SURGEONS.

62. That the Phyſicians and Surgeons, one of each attend in their Turns at the Infirmary every *Saturday*, at Eleven of the Clock, to examine thoſe, who ſhall be recommended for Patients; to certify their Opinions of their Caſes to the Board; and to preſcribe for ſuch as ſhall be admitted.

63. That all the Phyſicians and Surgeons do meet at the Infirmary every *Monday* and *Thurſday*, at Eleven of the Clock, to viſit their In-Patients, and conſult upon difficult Caſes; And that on every *Thurſday* they do likewiſe preſcribe for their Out-Patients then on the Book, and minute down what Patients are proper to be diſcharged the *Saturday* following.

64. That all Patients during their Continuance be under the Care of the Phyſician or Surgeon, (and in mixed Caſes of both) whoſe Turn it was to attend, when they were admitted.

65. That each Phyſician and Surgeon viſit his reſpective In-Patients at other times, as often as he ſhall judge neceſſary, or ſhall have Notice of any ſudden Emergency from the Apothecary.

66. That each Phyſician and Surgeon, whoſe Buſineſs, or Indiſpoſition, ſhall oblige him to be abſent, engage ſome other Phyſician

ſician or Surgeon of the Infirmary to attend for him.

Matron.

67. That the Matron take Care of all the Houſehold Goods and Furniture according to the Inventory, and be ready to give an Account thereof when required.

68. That ſhe keep a daily Account of the Proviſions and other Neceſſaries that are brought into the Houſe, and lay it before the Weekly Board every Saturday.

69. That ſhe viſit the Wards and Offices every Day; That ſhe take Care that the Chambers, Beds, Cloaths, Linnen, and all other Things within the Infirmary, be kept clean.

70. That ſhe keep a Diet Book, by which the Number of Patients on each Diet may be known.

71. That ſhe cauſe the Names of the Patients to be called over in each Ward every Morning and Evening, and enter in the Houſe Viſitor's Books the Names of thoſe who are abſent.

72. That ſhe take Care of the Keys of the Doors, and ſee that the outer Gates be always lock'd at Nine in the Evening, from *Michaelmas* to *Lady-Day*, and at Ten in the Evening from *Lady-Day* to *Michaelmas*.

73. That ſhe ſee that the Nurſes, Servants and Patients do their Duty, and obſerve the Rules of the Houſe; and in Caſes of Misbehaviour, or Neglect, acquaint the Weekly Board, or Houſe Viſitors therewith.

HOUSE-APOTHECARY.

74. That the Houſe-Apothecary fix two Tickets on each Patient's Bed, one ſpecifying the Name of the Patient, together with that of the Phyſician, Surgeon, or both occaſionally; and the other the Diet according to the Preſcription of the Phyſicians, or Surgeons; and give a Liſt of the ſame to the Matron each preſcribing Day.

75. That he viſit the Wards every Morning, and be ready to report the State of the Patients to the Phyſicians and Surgeons.

76. That he diſpenſe no Medicines without the Direction of the Phyſicians or Surgeons, except in Caſes of Neceſſity, when they cannot be conſulted.

77. That he make a Report to the Weekly Board of all Patients received into the Houſe in the foregoing Week, and deliver a Liſt at every Board of ſuch Patients as have been in the Houſe two Months.

78. That he do not preſume to practice as an Apothecary out of the Houſe, or attend any other Buſineſs than that of the Infirmary.

79. That

79. That no Drugs, or Medicines, be bought without an Order from the Weekly Board, or Committee for providing Drugs, except in Caſe of Neceſſity, and then not without an Order ſigned by One of the Phyſicians or Surgeons.

80. That no Drugs or Medicines be depoſited among the Stores, 'till they have been firſt inſpected by the Committee for buying Drugs.

81. That the Apothecary and Matron be not out at the ſame time.

82. That he never be abſent from the Infirmary at the time when the Phyſicians and Surgeons are to attend, nor at any other Time above two Hours together, and that he always give Notice to the Matron, and be within Call; That he be at Home at Ten o'Clock at fartheſt in the Evening, and do not lie out of the Houſe without ſpecial Leave from the Treaſurer, or two of the Houſe Viſitors, that in ſuch Caſe he appoint another Apothecary, who ſhall be approved by the Phyſicians to officiate in his Place; and that he obſerve all theſe Things on Pain of Diſmiſſion.

SECRETARY.

83. That the Secretary attend at every Board to minute down, and regiſter all Proceedings, and that he be always ready to

produce the Books and Accounts of the Society fairly written.

84. That he enter in a Regiſter the Names of the Patients, who ſhall be taken in, and of the Out-Patients, the Pariſh they belong to, their Age and Diſtemper, when admitted, when diſcharged, and in what State.

85. That he give Notice in Writing every *Saturday* to the Clergyman, whoſe Turn it is, and to the Houſe Viſitors, who are appointed to viſit the following Week, to the Viſiting Apothecary every Month before his Turn begins, and to the Truſtees appointed quarterly by the General Board.

SERVANTS.

86. That the Nurſes clean their reſpective Wards by Seven in the Morning, from the Firſt of *March* to the Firſt of *October*, and by Eight in the Morning, from the Firſt of *October* to the Firſt of *March*, and that they ſerve up Breakfaſt within an Hour after the Wards are cleaned.

87. That the Nurſes and Servants obey the Matron as their Miſtreſs; That they behave with Tenderneſs to the Patients, and with Civility and Reſpect to all Strangers.

88. That the Porter carefully attend the Gate, and ſuffer no In-Patient to go out without Leave, and that he inform the Matron

tron of every Stranger that comes into the Infirmary.

89. That he obey the Orders of the Phyſicians, Surgeons and Apothecary, and do the labouring Work of the Houſe when ordered by the Matron; and that when he is to be abſent upon any ſuch Buſineſs, he give the Matron Notice, that another may be appointed to attend the Gate.

PATIENTS.

90. That no In-Patients go out of the Infirmary without Leave from their reſpective Phyſician or Surgeon, firſt ſignified to the Matron, and that no In-Patient lie out of the Houſe on any Account whatever on Pain of Expulſion.

91. That no Men Patients go into the Women's Ward, nor Women into the Mens without Leave of the Matron.

92. That they do not ſwear, curſe, behave rudely, or indecently, on Pain of Expulſion after the firſt Admonition.

93. That no Patient preſume to play at Cards, or Dice, or any other Game, within the Walls of the Infirmary, or to ſmoak any where within Doors.

94. That ſuch Patients, as are able, be employ'd in the Service of the Infirmary, that they aſſiſt in nurſing the Patients, waſhing and ironing the Linnen, waſhing and clean-

cleaning the Wards, and in any other Buſineſs that the Matron ſhall require.

95. That ſuch In-Patients, as are able, be allowed to go to their reſpective Places of Worſhip, on *Sundays* in the Forenoon and Afternoon, that they return to the Infirmary directly, and that no Perſons be admitted to viſit Patients on that Day, 'till after Evening Service, without ſpecial Leave of the Matron.

96. That the Out-Patients be aſſiſted with Advice and Medicines only, and be no other Way chargeable to the Society.

97. That they attend exactly at Eleven o'Clock every *Thurſday*, and if they abſent themſelves twice together without a reaſonable Cauſe to be allowed by their reſpective Phyſician or Surgeon, that they be diſcharged for Irregularity.

98. That no freſh Medicines be given them, 'till they deliver their Phials or Gallipots, and ſuch Medicines as they have not taken.

99. That no Patient preſume to loiter about the Infirmary, or Streets adjacent, or to beg any where in the Town on Pain of being diſcharged for Irregularity.

100. That no Perſon diſcharged for Irregularity be admitted again a Patient of the Infirmary on any Recommendation whatſoever.

House-Visitors.

101. That the House-Visitors enquire every Day, whether the foregoing Rules concerning Officers, Servants, and Patients, have been observed; particularly, whether the Patients have been duly attended by the Physicians, Surgeons, Apothecary, *&c.* whether Prayers have been duly read; whether the Patients or Servants have been guilty of Swearing, Drunkenness, any Immorality or Indecency; whether the Provisions be good, and whether any have been carried out or brought in to the Patients clandestinely: And that they enter what they think observable in a Book to be provided for that Purpose.

102. That the Matron, Apothecary, and Servants, be ready to attend the Visitors in the Board-Room: That when the Visitors enter the Wards, the Servants withdraw, and the Patients stand by their respective Beds.

All Perſons who are diſpoſed to contribute by Will to this Charity, are deſired to do it in the following Manner:

I Give and bequeath unto *A. B.* and *C. D.* the Sum of upon Truſt that they do pay the ſame to the Treaſurer for the Time being of a Society who call themſelves *the Truſtees of the* Salop *Infirmary*, which Sum of I deſire may be applied towards carrying on the charitable Deſigns of the ſaid Society.

Form of a Recommendatory Letter.

GENTLEMEN,

I Recommend to your Examination of the Pariſh of whom I believe to be a real Object of Charity, and deſire he may be admitted an In- (or Out-) Patient of the Infirmary, if duly qualified.

To the Truſtees of the Salop Infirmary.

Form

Form of an Answer, when the Person recommended is thought improper to be admitted.

SALOP INFIRMARY.

SIR,

BY Order of the Weekly Board, now sitting, I beg Leave to acquaint you, that recommended by you as an In- (or Out-) Patient, appears upon Examination improper to be admitted —

Chairman.

Form of an Answer, when the House is full.

SALOP INFIRMARY.

SIR,

BY Order of the Weekly Board, now sitting, I beg Leave to acquaint you, that recommended by you for an In-Patient, cannot yet be received into the House for Want of Room; but is now entered in the Books and made an Out-Patient, and will be received into the House upon the first Vacancy.

Chairman.

Form of a Notice to be ſent to the Perſon recommending, when a Patient is diſcharged for Irregularity.

SALOP INFIRMARY.

SIR,

BY Order of the Weekly Board, now ſitting, I beg Leave to acquaint you, that, being on Examination fully aſſured of the irregular Behaviour of
recommended by you, they have thought themſelves obliged to diſcharge him.

Chairman.

Form of a Letter to be ſent to Subſcribers who are in Arrear.

SALOP INFIRMARY.

SIR,

IN Compliance with the Rules of this Society, I am to acquaint you, that it appears by the Secretary's Books that your Subſcription of *per Ann.*
payable laſt has not yet been received.

It is therefore the Requeſt of the Board, that you will be pleaſed to pay it to the Treaſurer, or one of the Correſpondents, and excuſe this Application, as it is the conſtant Uſage of other Infirmaries in the like Caſe.

Chairman.

Officers of the Infirmary, 1746.

TREASURER.

Sir Rowland Hill, *Bart.*

DEPUTY-TREASURERS.

Mr. Henry Blakeway, } *Shrewsbury.*
Mr. James Maſon, }

PHYSICIANS.

Dr. John Wingfield.
Dr. Richard Davies.
Dr. William Berrington.

SURGEONS.

Mr. Peter Blakeway.
Mr. John Whitfield.
Mr. Richard Pryce.

MATRON.

Mrs. Sandford.

APOTHECARY *and* SECRETARY.

Mr. William Harland.

Correſpondents

Correſpondents appointed to receive Subſcriptions and Benefactions, and to tranſact other Buſineſs of the Society.

Samuel Child, *Eſq. and Co.*	*London.*
Mr. Samuel Davies,	*Ludlow.*
Mr. William Haſlewood,	*Bridgnorth.*
Mr. Richard Higgenſon,	*Whitchurch.*
Mr. George Griffiths,	*Drayton.*
Mr. Samuel Dugard,	*Newport.*
Mr. Abel Lewis,	*Shiffnall.*
Mr. Robert Parrot,	*Eliſmere.*
Mr. Thomas Homes,	*Biſhops-Caſtle.*
Mr. Richard Skett,	*Wenlock.*
Mr. John Hughes,	*Oswestry.*
Mr. Abraham Crane,	*Hales Owen.*

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